



# State Preparedness Report

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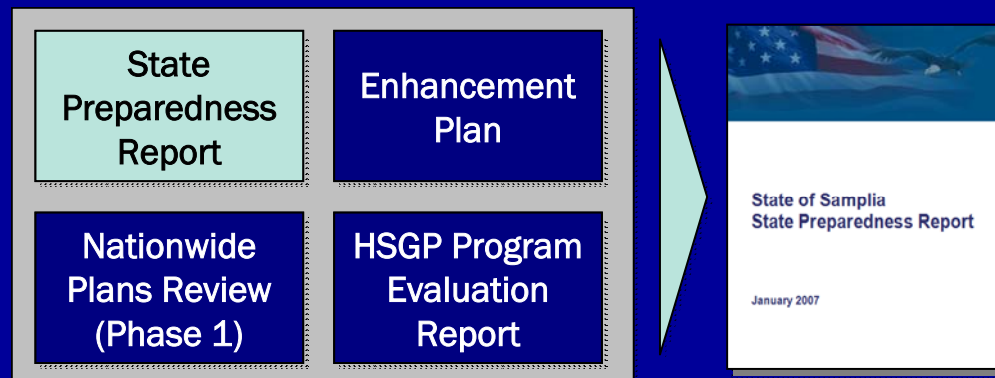
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# State Preparedness Report



- Due to Congress on January 4, 2008
  - States provided guidance on 10/16/07
  - Focuses on eight National Priorities
  - Recommends stakeholder involvement
  - Incorporates and replaces other reports





# State Preparedness Report



- Showcase capabilities and accomplishments
- Provides communication to Congress regarding Virginia's plans to increase preparedness
- Summarizes past capabilities and accomplishments, and estimates future capabilities
- Estimates of the total monetary and non-monetary resources needed to support all preparedness-related activities for a three year period.



# State Preparedness Report



I

## Executive Summary

- ▶ Provides an overview of the main sections of the State Preparedness Report

II

## State Overview

- ▶ Provides background information on the State
- ▶ Summarizes the process the State used to collect stakeholder input when creating the State Preparedness Report

III

## Compliance

- ▶ Discusses the State's compliance with the National Incident Management System (NIMS)

IV

## Priorities

- ▶ Reports on the State's accomplishments (Optional)
- ▶ Discusses current capabilities
- ▶ Provides three-year targets for capabilities
- ▶ Identifies Initiatives
- ▶ Discusses monetary and non-monetary resources



# Regional Focus Groups



- **NP2: Enhanced Regional Collaboration**
- **NP5: Strengthen Communications Capabilities**
- **NP6: Strengthen CBRNE**
- **NP8: Strengthen Planning and Citizen Preparedness Capabilities -**
  - **Strengthen Planning & Continuity of Operations Planning**
  - **Citizen Evacuation and Shelter-in-Place & Mass Care**
  - **Critical Resource Logistics and Distribution**



# Regional Focus Groups



- ANSWER FOUR QUESTIONS....
  - Accomplishments, Current Capabilities
  - Identify Targets for 2010
  - Identify Initiatives



# Regional Focus Groups



- ANSWER FOUR QUESTIONS....
  - Since 2002 what do you feel has been accomplished to establish collaboration between the jurisdictions in this region?
  - For your region, what are examples of the results of regional collaboration? In your locality?
  - What objective (TARGET) should be established to further regional collaboration by 2010?
  - What steps (INITIATIVES) need to be taken to accomplish each objective?



# Three-Year Targets

Targets should be as close to outcome statements as possible, while ensuring that they are relevant and attainable

## Interoperable Communications

▶ 80% of all responders across the state can communicate with each other via the ALMRS

▶ Built a total of 20 ALMR relay stations providing coverage in 8 of 10 Counties and supplied ALMR radios to 100% of all emergency response personnel throughout the State

▶ Committed funding to establish a state-wide ALMR System

Short term to long term measures

OUTCOMES

OUTPUTS

INPUTS





# Initiatives

Each Initiative should be described in terms of:

## Initiative Description

How the initiative addresses the three-year targets and how the State will be more prepared by implementing all the targets

## Geographic Scope

Geographic area the Initiative serves

## Program Management

The programs, policies, cooperative agreements and other processes are in place to help the State meet these targets



# Regional Focus Groups



- What will NOT happen today
  - Grant funds will not be decided
  - Specific projects will not be solicited for funding



# Regional Focus Groups



- What WILL happen today
  - Input collected to
    - Use in the SPR Report
    - Update Virginia HS Strategy
    - Identify high level priorities for 2008 grant submission and other grants
  - Set the expectation for annual meetings with localities, regions, all stakeholders



# Regional Focus Groups



- AGENDA
  - 9:30 Welcome and Overview
  - 10:00 Breakout Groups w/ Facilitators
  - LUNCH ON YOUR OWN
  - 1:30 Breakout Group Presentations
  - 3:15 Wrap Up
  - 3:30 Adjourn



# Next Steps



- Complete SPR and submit
- Update Virginia HS Strategy
- Schedule regional meetings to discuss
  - Updated strategy
  - Ideas brought forward from SPR (targets & initiatives) AND from FP, DCJS and VDEM stakeholder meetings
  - Prioritize grant investments



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